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Warsaw, November 27.

THE Deputies of the Palatinate of Massovia have had Audience of the King, and have demanded a Diminution of the Taxes which are imposed upon them; but they were answered, that they must pay them this one time, and hereafter they shall be relieved. The Bishop of Cracow, and Prince Wiesnowiecki, Palatine of Cracow, continue to solicite also the Diminution of the Taxes and Contributions for that Palatinate, which the bad Harvest has disabled them from paying. Deputies from divers Palatinates in Lithuania to make the same Instances also are expected, but there is no Appearance that they will have better Success. The Nobility continue much discontented, and those of the Palatinates of Russia, Volhinia, Belz, Lublin, and the Territory of Chelm, who by the Perswasion of the Crown-General separated till the 20th Instant, declare they will again mount on Horseback, seeing the hopes that were given them of the departure of the Saxon Troops and the abatement of their Taxes and Contributions are disappointed. The Deputies of the Crown Army who have been here some time, solicit the payment of the Arrears due to the Troops, and complain that the delays made in satisfying them hinders their separating to enter into Winter-Quarters. The Palatine of Massovia arrived the 18th from his Ambassy at Constantinople, and the same Day he had Audience of the King, to whom he would have given an Account of his Negociations, but he remitted it to the General Diet which he hoped to convoke by the beginning of January next. Letters from Caminiec of the 20th advise, that the Turks have left but 5000 Men at Choczim, and they continue to work upon the Fortifications of that Place; and that they heard that the Sieur Czeremetow, one of the Czar's Ambassadors to the Grand Signior, is dead upon the Road in his return from Constantinople to Petersburg.

Warsaw, Dec. 1. 'The King of Poland made 'a great Feast on St. Andrew's Day, to which all 'the Senators and Lords of Distinction that are 'here were invited. The Field Marshal Flemming was at it, but tarried not to the end, setting 'out that Evening for Saxony to make the neces'sary Dispositions there against any Enterprize that 'may be undertaken by the Swedes. Divers of 'the Saxon Regiments that are here are advan'cing to the Frontiers of Great Poland, to be at 'Hand in case they should be wanted in Saxony. 'His Majesty has declared General Janus Gene'ral of the Horse, and the Princes of Weissenfels 'and Milkau Lieutenant-Generals. The first 'will keep the Command of the whole Army all 'this Winter, the rather because the Poles have 'always applauded the Conduct and Manner he 'has observed towards them. The Envoy extra'ordinary of Great Britain has lately delivered 'to his Polish Majesty a very obliging Letter from 'the King his Master, whereby his Britanick Ma'jesty notifies his Accession to the Crown. Two 'Days ago the Lithuanian Deputies were admitted 'to Audience of the King, after which they pre'sented to Prince Czartorinsko, Vice-Chancellor 'of Lithuania, their Instructions, containing, 1. 'That it would please his Majesty to put an end 'to the excessive Contributions demanded of them, 'or otherwise they should do the same thing the 'Poles formerly did to the Court of Rome, whom 'they prayed to exempt them from the Annats 'which the Pope demanded; declaring at the 'same time, that in case of refusal they would pay 'nothing at all. 2. They demand that the Sax'on Troops be sent away out of the great Dutchy. 'And, 3. They beseech his Majesty to be pleased 'to call a General Diet, wherein the results of the 'Negociations with the Ottoman Court and the 'Czar may be declared. 'Tis said the King will 'after the Holydays Assemble a great Council of 'Senators, but 'tis feared that few of them will 'appear at it, seeing the Ambassadors who are re'turned from Constantinople will not give an Ac'count of their Ambassy but in a General Diet, 'which very much embarrasses the Court; and 'the Tax upon Chimneys is already reduced 'in the Palatinate of Cracow from 15 to 10 'Tymphs, which is also demanded by all the other 'Palatinates.

London, December 22.

His Majesty has been pleased to send Directions to the Lords Archbishops and Bishops, requiring them to cause their Clergy to observe the following Injunctions.

I. THAT no Preacher whatsoever, in his Sermon or Lecture, do presume to deliver any other Doctrine concerning the Blessed Trinity, than what is contained in the Holy Scriptures, and is agreeable to the Three Creeds, and the Thirty nine Articles of Religion.

II. That in the Explication of this Doctrine they carefully avoid all new Terms, and confine themselves to such ways of Expression as have been commonly used in the Church.

III. That Care be taken in this Matter, especially to observe the Fifty third Canon of this Church, which forbids publick Opposition between Preachers, because (as that Canon Expresses it) there groweth thereby much Offence and Disquietness unto the People: And that above all things they abstain from bitter Invectives and Scurrilous Language against all Persons whatsoever.

IV. That none of the Clergy in their Sermons or Lectures, presume to intermeddle in any Affairs of State or Government, or the Constitution of the Realm, save only on such special Feasts and Fasts as are or shall be appointed by publick Authority; and then no further than the Occasion of such Days shall strictly require. Provided always, That nothing in this Direction shall be understood to discharge any Person from Preaching in defence of Our Regal Supremacy established by Law, as often, and in such Manner as the first Canon of this Church doth require.

V. That the foregoing Directions be also observed by those who write any thing concerning the said Subjects.

VI. Whereas also We are credibly informed, That it is the Manner of some in every Diocese, before their Sermon, either to use a Collect and the Lord's Prayer, or the Lord's Prayer only, (which the Fifty fifth Canon prescribes as the Conclusion of the Prayer, and not the whole Prayer) or at least to leave out Our Titles, by the said Canon required to be declared and recognized: We do further direct, That you require your Clergy, in their Prayer before Sermon, That they do keep strictly to the Form in the said Canon contained, or to the full Effect thereof.

VII. And whereas we also understand, that divers Persons who are not of the Clergy, have of late presumed not only to Talk and to Dispute against the Christian Faith, concerning the Doctrine of the Blessed Trinity, but also to Write and Publish Books and Pamphlets against the same, and industriously Spread them through the Kingdom, contrary to the known Laws in that behalf made and enacted; and particularly to one Act of Parliament made in the Ninth Year of King William the Third, Intituled, *An Act for the more Effectual Suppressing of Blasphemy and Prophaneness*: We taking all the Matters abovementioned into Our Royal and Serious Consideration, and being desirous to do what in us lies, to put a Stop to these Disorders, do strictly Charge and Command you, together with all other Means suitable to your holy Profession, to

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make use of your Authority according to Law, for the Repressing and Restraining of all such Exorbitant Practices. And for your Assistance, we will give Charge to Our Judges, and all other Our Civil Officers, to do their Duty herein, in executing the said Act, and all other Laws, against all such Persons as shall, by these means, give Occasion of Scandal, Discord, and Disturbance in our Church and Kingdom.

Given at our Court at St. James's, the Eleventh Day of December, 1714. In the First Year of Our Reign.

By His Majesty's Command,

TOWNSHEND.

London, December 22.

The Lord Coningsby is appointed Custos Rotulorum for the County of Radnor, and the Earl of Orrery for the County of Somerset.

London, December 22.

Yesterday South-Sea Stock was 97 three eights. Bank 128 one half. India no Transfer. African 22. New Lottery Tickets 10 l. 17 s. 6 d. to 10 l. 18 s.

The Court of Directors of the South-Sea Company having given Notice in the Gazette of the 7th Instant, that in order to make out their Dividend Warrants of 3 l. per Cent for the half Years Annuity due at Christmas next, the Transfer-Books will be shut to Morrow the 23d Instant, and opened on Tuesday the 10th of February next: Notice is desired to be taken, that during the Time the said Books are shut, as above, there will be an Election of Governour, Sub-Governour, Deputy-Governour, and Directors for the three ensuing Years.

N.B. Stock 1000 *one Vote.*
3000 *two Votes.*
5000 *three Votes.*
10000 *four Votes.*

Not Acted these Nine Years.

By His Majesty's Company of Comedians.

AT the Theatre-Royal in Drury-Lane, this present Wednesday, being the 22d of December, will be Reviv'd a Play call'd, The Island Princess; or, The Generous Portuguese. With proper Entertainments and Decorations. Being the last time of Acting till Christmas Holydays.

AT the King's Theatre in the Hay-Market, this present Wednesday, being the 22d of December, will be perform'd an Opera call'd, Arminius. The part of Ismena to be perform'd by Mrs. Robinson. Boxes 8 s. Pit 5 s. Gallery 2 s. 6 d. Boxes upon the Stage half a Guinea. By Command, to begin at half an Hour after Five.

By the Company of Comedians under Letters Patent granted by King Charles II.

AT the Theatre in Lincoln's-Inn-Fields, this present Wednesday, being the 22d of December, will be Acted a Comedy call'd, The Busie-Body. With several Entertainments of Singing and Dancing, by Monsieur Du Pre, Monsieur la Rose, Mr. Tully, Mr. Bovil, Mrs. Russel, and Miss Schoolding.

AN Entertainment by Mr. CLINCH of BARNET, who imitates the Flute, Double Curtel, the Organ with 3 Voices, the Horn, Huntsman and Pack of Hounds, the Sham-Doctor, the Old Woman, the Drunken-Man, the Bells: All Instruments are performed by his natural Voice. To which is added an Italian Song by Mr. Clinch himself. To be seen this present Evening at 7 a Clock, at the White-Swan Tavern at the lower-end of Gerard-Street near Newport-Market. Price 1 s.

Lost the 21st Instant between Winchester-Street and Bridges Coffee house Cornhill, at about half an Hour after two a Clock, a Red Embroidered Letter-Case, containing a Bank Note, No 246. dated the 18th Instant, payable to Messieurs Thorpe and Bellase, for 86 l. 19 s. 1 d. Whoever will deliver the same to Mr. Atwill in Exchange-Alley, shall receive one Guinea Reward, and no Question asked, Payment being stopt.

Whereas a small Parcel of Raw Silk done up in an Bag of Canvis Cloth about 20 Pound Weight, was on or about the 24th of September last put into the Norwich Waggon, directed for Mr. Anthony Rouse in London, is since lost or mis-delivered: If any Person will inform, so that it may be recovered again, let them come to the Bull Inn in Bishopsgate-street London, or the Popinjay in Norwich, where the Waggon lies, shall receive of the Norwich Carrier as a Reward five Guineas, and no Questions asked.

Dec. 18. 1714. Between the Hours of 11 at Night and 4 in the Morning, the Dwelling House of John Dewye, of Croydon in the County of Surrey was broke open, and taken from thence a Bag of Money untold, a Silver Snuff-Box, wrought and double gilt with a Spring Hinge, a plain Silver Snuff-Box with a Hinge, a flat Silver Spectacle-Case with a Hinge lined with Crimson Sattin, a Pair of Gold Buttons for a Shirt, several Pair of Silver Shoe Buckles, and several Pair of other Buckles, one Pair of Silver Spurs engraven in the inside with I. D. a Silver-hilted Sword, a long Horseman's Whip with a Silver Fox at the End, a Pocket Pistol, one Pair of Horse Pistols with Brass Caps cast with Lyon's Heads, 3 light-colour'd Bob Wigs, 2 Horseman's riding Cloath Coats. Whoever shall give Notice of any part of the Goods or any of the Persons, that they may be brought to Justice, shall have 5 Guineas Reward; Notice to be given at Pemberton's Coffee-house at Croydon, or at Batson's Coffee-house over-against the Royal-Exchange, London.

This Day is Published,

The Pretender's Declaration, english'd by Mr. Addison: with a Postscript before it, in relation to Dr. Leslie's Letter sent after it. Pr. 3 d. Sold by J. Roberts in Warwick-lane: Where may be had Mr. Addison's other Tracts, in Defence of the Succession of the House of Hanover, &c.

To be Sold,

Two Copper Stills (one about 13 the other 6 Barrels) with their Worms and Tubs, some Backs and other Utensils. Inquire at the Printer's of this Paper for further Information.

To be Lett, with or without Furniture, in Doctor's-Commons against the Garden-Gate, having a Prospect over the Thames as far as Richmond or Epsom, a handsome convenient House, 3 Rooms and Closets on a Floor, 3 Stories high, with a Back-Door and Passage down to the Thames, without any fear of Robbing, fit for a Merchant, or any Person. Enquire of Tho. Skerrett, Esq; the upper-end of Bruton-street near Devonshire-House, Piccadilly, or advise by the Penny-Post (the Day before) the Hour and Place to meet, and Know further.

Lately brought over, a great Parcel of the finest Song-Canary Birds as ever was seen, Mottle, Buff, Lemon, Ash Colour and Grey; and a Parcel of Scarlet Nightingales, both Cocks and Hens, of the sort fit for Breeding, from the West-Indies. Fine Parrokeets of several sorts, and fine Talking Parrots; a large Cocka-too, and great choice of Ammerdewaters, from the East-Indies, of divers fine Colours; two Gavey Birds, the like never seen in England before; Muscovy Ducks, Hookbill Ducks, Borow Ducks, and the largest Hamborow Fowls as ever was seen; small India Fowls, breeding Turtle Doves; several Monkies, with one Mamezet Monkey no bigger than a Squirrel; India Geese, with other Rarities. To be Sold by Michael Island the Owner of them, at the Sign of the Leopard and Tygar at Tower-Dock near Great-Tower-Hill.

There is very fine Batavia ARACK Neat and Proof, to be Sold at the Widow Scott's at the Blackmoor's Head next Door to the Cable Tavern in Pater-noster-Row. Note, She Sells no less Quantity than a Quart.

A Catalogue of very valuable English Books, consisting of the best Modern Divinity, History, Miscellanies, Novels, Poetry, Plays, Travels, Voyages, Mathematicks, Romances, &c. Neatly Bound, and of the very best Editions. Which will be Sold by Auction, at the Excise-Office Coffee-house in the Old Jewry in the Poultry, this Day, being the 22d Instant; beginning each Evening at 5 a-Clock, and will be continued every Evening till all are Sold. By Thomas Bickerton, Bookseller, at the Rose and Crown in Little-Britain, where Catalogues may be had gratis, also of Mr. Strahan over-against the Royal-Exchange in Cornhil, Mr. Humphrys at the Hat and Star in St. Paul's Church-Yard, Booksellers, and at the Place of Sale.

A Catalogue of extraordinary Pictures by some of the most celebrated Masters, being the entire Collection of Mr. Stephen Edwards, late of the Strand, Laceman, deceas'd, will be Sold by Auction, at the Pensilvania Coffee-house in Birchin-lane, this Day and to Morrow, being the 22d and 23d Instant. The Pictures may be seen this Day and to Morrow till the time of Sale, which will begin at 3 a-Clock in the Afternoon each Day precisely. Catalogues may be had at the Place of Sale.

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To be Sold by AUCTION,

This Day the 22d Instant, the Houshold- Goods, Pictures, and Wearing-Apparel of Capt. Smith, deceas'd; consisting of Beds, Bedding, Window-Curtains, Fine Tapistry Hangings, Indian Cabinets, Glasses, and all other sorts of Houshold-Goods; being brought from his late Dwelling-House in the County of Kent, to a great House in Watling-street, over-against St. Anthony's Church, near Queen-street. The Goods to be seen this Morning before the Sale, beginning at 10 of the Clock. Catalogues to be had at the Place of Sale on the Day of Showing. Note, These were the Goods of the aboresaid Gentleman, and will be all Sold by the Executors to the best Bidder. The House to be Lett.

This Day, and every Day this and next Week, (except Holidays) at 9 in the Morning, and continue till 6 in the Evening, at D. Brown's Warehouse in Exeter Exchange in the Strand, will continue the Sale of the Libraries of Mr. J. Goodyer late Vicar of Newington in Kent, and of a Learned Schoolmaster deceased, consisting of valuable Books in Divinity, History, Philology, Mathematicks, Classicks cum Not. Var. & in Usum Delphini Edit. Elzivir, &c. Lexicons, Dictionaries, Translations, Poetry Lat. and Eng. Travels, Voyages, &c. Catalogues to be had at the Place of Sale, Mr. Stoke at the Golden-Key against the Mews-Gate, Mr. Morts at the Lamb without Temple-Bar, Mr. Clements at the Half-Moon in St. Paul's Church-yard, and Mr. Strahan at the Golden-Ball in Cornhill, Booksellers. N. B. There are many more than are mentioned in the printed Catalogue. Also Sermons at 2 s. per Dozen, Plays at 4 s. and other Pamphlets at 1 s. 6 d.

For SALE by the CANDLE,

To Morrow the 23d of December, at Lloyd's Coffee house in Lombard-street, at 3 of the Clock in the Afternoon, the good Ship Howland-Frigate, English-built, Burthen about 450 Tons, 30 Guns, Length by the Keel about 94 Foot, Breadth by the Beam 31 Foot, Depth in Hold 13 Foot, Height between Decks 6 Foot, lying in the great Wet Dock above the Red-house in the River Thames, Capt. Sam. Lewis Commander. Inventories to be seen on Board the said Ship, and at the Place of Sale. To be Sold by Samuel Eyre, Broker, who Buys and Sells Ships and Merchandize of all sorts, Takes up and Letts Ships to Freight, and takes out Mediterranean and all Sorts of Passes for Ships. To be spoke with every Day on the Spanish-Walk on the Exchange, and before and after at Lloyd's Coffee-house aforesaid.

On Saturday was Publish'd,

A Letter to a Friend in Lancashire, occasioned by a Report concerning Injunctions and Prohibitions by Authority, relating to some Points of Religion now in Debate. Pr. 3 d. Sold by J. Baker in Pater-Noster-Row; where may be had Three Letters to Dr. Clarke, concerning his Scripture Doctrine of the Trinity, with the Doctor's Replies, &c. Pr. 6 d. A full Account of the Proceedings in Convocation, relating to Dr. Clarke's Writings about the Trinity, &c. Pr. 6 d. A Dissuasive from Enquiring into the Doctrine of the Trinity, &c. Pr. 6 d. Reflections on the present Controversie concerning the Holy Trinity, &c. Pr. 6 d. An Apology for Dr. Clarke &c. Pr. 1 d.

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